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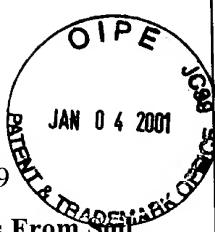
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Sir:

The undersigned, Robert W. Esmond, attorney of record in the present application, hereby appoints Richard J. Berman, Registration No. 39,107, of the firm **AREN'T FOX KINTER PLOTKIN & KAHN PLLC**, 1050 Connecticut Avenue, NW, Suite 600, Washington, DC 20036-5339, as Associate Attorney/Agent with full power to prosecute the above-identified application. All correspondence should be directed to said firm.

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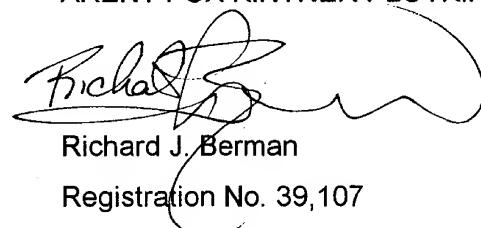
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Sir:

Submitted herewith for filing in the above-identified application, is an Associate Power of Attorney.

In the event that any additional fees are due with respect to this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2300.

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